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METHOD OF PRODUCING FIBER  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

The claim amendments begin on page 2.

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